

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Attorney Docket No. 2006\_0156A  
Shinji YOSHIDA et al. : **Confirmation No. 7173**  
Serial No. 10/574,109 : Group Art Unit 1616  
Filed March 31, 2006 : Examiner Nathan W. Schlientz  
HARDENABLE TERMITE-CONTROLLING : **Mail Stop: AMENDMENT**  
COMPOSITION

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a three month extension of time to respond to the communication of September 28, 2009.

The fee of \$1,110.00 is

to be charged to Credit Card.  
 to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975.

Respectfully submitted,

Shinji YOSHIDA et al.

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